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MEMORANDUM FOR: See Distribution

SUBJECT : IDEALIST Mission Critique

1. A critique for IDEALIST Mission C278C will be held in the OSA Control Center on Monday, 30 December 1968 at 1330 local.

2. Staff representatives should be prepared to brief their portion of mission critique and to ask or answer questions as appropriate to the particular mission. Chief, Intelligence Division should notify representatives of OEL, OSI and NPIC in adequate time that they may be prepared to cover their areas of responsibility.

3. Critique Agenda:

a. Operations: (Planned and actual tracks displayed.)

- (1) Introductory remarks.
- (2) Review mission preparation, execution, discrepancies, etc., as appropriate.
- (3) General comments on mission success.
- (4) Introduce Weather representative.

b. Weather: (Weather overlay displayed.)

- (1) Review forecast versus actual weather.
- (2) General comments on weather aspects.
- (3) Introduce Materiel representative.

c. Materiel:

- (1) Review pertinent materiel aspects to

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include malfunctions of equipment and corrective actions.

(2) Camera operation.

(3) Introduce COMMO representative.

d. Communications:

(1) Review pertinent communications aspects.

(2) Introduce Intelligence representative.

e. Intelligence:

(1) Review targets covered versus planned coverage.

(2) Provide details of hostile actions.

(3) Introduce representatives of OEL, OSI and NPIC who will provide an analysis of the mission as it applies to their area of responsibility.

f. Comments by the senior officer present.

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